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SPACE	1 inch	2 inch	3 inch	4 inch	5 inch	6 inch	7 inch	8 inch	9 inch	10 inch	11 inch	12 inch	13 inch	14 inch	15 inch	16 inch	17 inch	18 inch	19 inch	20 inch	21 inch	22 inch	23 inch	24 inch	25 inch	26 inch	27 inch	28 inch	29 inch	30 inch
One Year	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$8.00	\$9.00	\$10.00	\$11.00	\$12.00	\$13.00	\$14.00	\$15.00	\$16.00	\$17.00	\$18.00	\$19.00	\$20.00	\$21.00	\$22.00	\$23.00	\$24.00	\$25.00	\$26.00	\$27.00	\$28.00	\$29.00	\$30.00
Six Months	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$8.00	\$9.00	\$10.00	\$11.00	\$12.00	\$13.00	\$14.00	\$15.00	\$16.00	\$17.00	\$18.00	\$19.00	\$20.00	\$21.00	\$22.00	\$23.00	\$24.00	\$25.00	\$26.00	\$27.00	\$28.00	\$29.00	\$30.00
Three Months	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$8.00	\$9.00	\$10.00	\$11.00	\$12.00	\$13.00	\$14.00	\$15.00	\$16.00	\$17.00	\$18.00	\$19.00	\$20.00	\$21.00	\$22.00	\$23.00	\$24.00	\$25.00	\$26.00	\$27.00	\$28.00	\$29.00	\$30.00
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Four Insertions	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$8.00	\$9.00	\$10.00	\$11.00	\$12.00	\$13.00	\$14.00	\$15.00	\$16.00	\$17.00	\$18.00	\$19.00	\$20.00	\$21.00	\$22.00	\$23.00	\$24.00	\$25.00	\$26.00	\$27.00	\$28.00	\$29.00	\$30.00
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Single Insertion	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$8.00	\$9.00	\$10.00	\$11.00	\$12.00	\$13.00	\$14.00	\$15.00	\$16.00	\$17.00	\$18.00	\$19.00	\$20.00	\$21.00	\$22.00	\$23.00	\$24.00	\$25.00	\$26.00	\$27.00	\$28.00	\$29.00	\$30.00

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## PEOPLE IN PARAGRAPHS.

Gone the blazer and the racket  
And the fluffy muslin gown;  
Clad in woolen dress and jacket,  
Miss Bostonia's back in town.  
—[Boston Republic.

Five century plants, all in bloom, is the interesting and very rare sight now to be seen in Los Angeles in the garden of the Church of our Lady of All Angels. They are said to be growing about a foot a day.

The keeper of a bar room in San Francisco, while among his casks in the cellar, was killed by the explosion of an empty cask, one of the staves crushing his skull. His light ignited the accumulated fumes in the cask.

The King of Siam is in an envious position as an author. His new book of travels has had a glowing welcome from the critics of his country. Possibly it might be unhealthy for them if they were to cut it up.

Monticello, once the home of Thos. Jefferson, is not for sale, and Jefferson M. Levy says that money could not purchase it. The estate has been in the hands of the Levy family since Jefferson's death, and will remain there.

Tennyson, in his old age, is an incessant smoker. A large jar of tobacco stands conveniently near his elbow and his beloved pipe is rarely removed from his mouth. The pipe of Pan consoled his youth, but a brier-wood comforts him now.

The offer of a peerage, which was about to be made to the late Wm. H. Smith for his Parliamentary and official services to the Conservative party, will probably be continued to and accepted by his son, who is now at the head of the great book and news company originated by his deceased father.

Mrs. Hannah Randall, 91 years old, completed a continuous journey between Providence, L. I. and San Francisco last week, acting on the way as companion and nurse to her sick son. This is said to be Mrs. Randall's seventh trip across the Continent, her first being in 1870 and her sixth seven years ago.

That George Francis Train should be able to foretell the death of Parnell a week before it happened, and yet be unable to foretell the rough-and-tumble reception which he was about to experience at his last lecture, is one of those hypnotic-psychic mysteries that make a man cross-eyed to guess at.

Osman Pasha, the hero of Plevna, has been located as Sealer in the kitchen of the Sultan of Turkey. His peculiar business is to seal all the dishes for the Sultan's table as soon as they are prepared, and thus, secure against poison, they are carried into the royal dining room, and the seals broken only in the presence of the Sultan.

General Beaugrand appeared at a meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy in St. Louis one day last week, and was subjected to the usual hero-worship that obtains on such occasions. The General appeared to be in excellent health, his snow-white hair showing up in striking contrast to a healthy and ruddy complexion.

Miss Mary Dickens, the novelist's favorite daughter, lives in a pleasant suburb of London. She is a woman past middle age, but preserves a vivacity of manner that makes her appear much more youthful. She has stored in her memory many interesting anecdotes of her father, which will furnish very interesting reading when given to the public.

Joseph Taper, of Pittsburg, got foolishly discouraged because he fancied that he was incumbering the earth for too long a span of years, and, imagining that Nature was forgetting to call in his checks, he gave her a gentle reminder by attempting to hang himself. And yet Joseph is only a giddy youth of 107 mosquito-haunted summers and corrugated winters.

Is Life Worth Living?

Not if you go through the world a dyspeptic. Dr. Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are a positive cure for the worst forms of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Flatulency and Constipation. Guaranteed and sold by T. G. Julian, druggist.

## The Weapon Which Decimated Balmaeda's Armies.

Army and navy officers have been watching closely the military features of the insurrection in Chili, and the arms have been carefully examined by the authorities in this country. It appears that it was the Mannlicher gun, loaded with cartridges the size of cigarettes charged with a first cousin to gun cotton, and sending a ball nearly two inches long and three-tenths of an inch thick against Balmaeda's troops at the rate of 40 to 60 per minute from each gun, that did the business for the insurgent troops. The long, slender, hard-pointed bullets were of steel, covered with a thin coat of copper, the softer metal being designed to follow the rifling of the barrel more accurately, and with less wear to the gun than the naked steel would make. Single bullets went through two or three men at a time. A member of the Ordinance Board who has made an investigation says: "The Board has already tested the Mannlicher magazine gun and has found it a very good weapon. That and the Krag-Jorgensen, the invention of a Swedish and a Danish officer, are the best we have yet seen. The Mannlicher seems to have given a pretty good account of itself at Vinodel Mar," he added, smiling grimly.

The smokeless powder is giving us some trouble on account of its variation. Two cartridges loaded with exactly the same weight of the stuff will often produce widely different effects, one tending to shatter or strain the gun, and the other to give too little pressure to insure the required initial velocity. The explosive is yet in its experimental stage, in that not sufficiently exact knowledge is obtained to give a perfect small arm. We are reducing the charge of explosive. The first cartridges had 36 grains of the explosive to 215 grains of projectile. Now we are making them with 34 and 35 grains. The smaller calibre of the magazine gun makes a small hole, but, as Mercutio says: "Twill serve." One of them went through the frontal bone of an ox, through the head and into the body. So much of the Gelbite (the powder used) scissoring off about two inches by three, would send a bullet through an elephant. We burned it with a match and it was consumed with almost no smoke.

"We are not hurrying; we want to get the most perfect aim before we ask Congress for the money. Then we think we will get it. It won't be long before we shall be as well equipped as the best of them in Europe, where they are doing a good deal of very expensive experimental work."  
—[Exchange.

At this season of the year people can not be too careful about keeping their bowels regular. Bilious and malarial diseases are often brought on by allowing the bowels to become torpid. An occasional dose of St. Patrick's Pills is all that would be required, and might prevent serious sickness. For sale by T. G. Julian.

## Proposed Trans-Pacific Cable.

Rear-Admiral Belknap's survey of parts of the Pacific preparatory to the laying of the proposed trans-Pacific telegraph cable indicates that extraordinary difficulties will be encountered. His "soundings," says the Engineering and Mining Journal, show the existence of a trough or basin of extraordinary depth and extent along the east coast of Japan and the Kurile Islands, and under the Kuro Siow, or Japan or Black stream. The basin exceeds any similar depression yet found in any other regions of the great oceans. In a run of 30 miles after leaving the coast of Japan the waters deepened more than 1800 fathoms, and upon the next cast of the lead the wire broke after 4643 fathoms had been run out without bottom having been reached. Thermometers specially constructed for deep sea soundings were wrecked by unprecedented pressures. The depth of the deepest cast—5½ miles, the deepest yet found—is sufficient to hold two mountains as high as Japan's great Fujiyama, one on top of the other, and then the summit of the highest would be nearly two-thirds of a mile under water.

## Frankincense and Myrrh.

Both are gum resins obtained from trees. That from which frankincense is derived grows chiefly in Arabia, though it is also found in certain parts of India and elsewhere. On the coast of Aden it is said to be found sprouting from between marble rock, without soil, appearing to spring from a mass of substance resembling a mixture of lime and mortar. The purer the marble the finer the growth of the plant. Young trees furnish the gum, to obtain which a deep incision is made in the trunk, a milk-like juice exuding. When it has had time to harden, the large, clear globules are scraped off into baskets, and the inferior quality that has run down the bark is collected separately. Anciently it was reported that the land which produced frankincense was one of fogs and darkness, where slaves, as a punishment, were compelled to collect the gum from trees infested by winged serpents of various brilliant colors, which could only be driven away by smoke. These beliefs were probably circulated by Arab spice producers to avoid competition. Fifteen centuries before Christ, an Egyptian queen named Hatshepsut made an expedition to an Arabian coast of the Red Sea, and brought back with her thirty-one incense trees. The gum was much employed of old in sacrifices, its use arising primitively from the belief that pleasant smells were agreeable to gods in general. One thousand talents' weight of frankincense was brought every year to Darius as a tribute. As much as this was burnt annually in Babylon on the great altar to Bel. It was used by the Egyptians in their religious rites, and was in high repute for medicinal purposes. Sometimes blazing lumps of it were employed for illumination. In China it has always been considered a remedy for leprosy. Myrrh is the gum of a tree that grows in southwestern Asia. Until within the present century its botanical source was in some degree a mystery. The plant in question is scrubby, not exceeding twelve feet in height. It is from what is called the Somali country that the product is chiefly obtained, being sent to a great annual fair at Berbera, where it is brought up by agents of East India merchants. Bombay and Aden are the chief centres of the trade. At these places it is sorted, the best quality being sent to Europe and the poorer kind to China. Once a year the Queen of Great Britain, on the occasion of the Feast of the Epiphany, makes an offering of gold, frankincense and myrrh at the Chapel Royal, London. This custom has been pursued since the time of Edward I.

## Pronounced Hopeless, yet Saved.

From a letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd, Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs; a cough set in, which finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds. I gave it a trial, and took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am now a well and hearty woman." Trial bottles free at W. S. Lloyd's drug store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

The Washington residence of Secretary Blaine, which was ordered ready for occupancy October 1, is still vacant, and Mr. Blaine, though reputed to be in fine health, lingers in Maine. According to gossip, he will probably not write the report of the State Department this year.

The following would indicate that there is still hope for the paralyzed. Frank Cornelius, Purcell, Indian Territory, says: "I induced Mr. Pinson, whose wife had paralysis in the face, to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. To their great surprise before the bottle had all been used she was a great deal better. Her face had been drawn to one side, but the Pain Balm relieved all pain and soreness, and the mouth assumed its natural shape." It is also unequalled for rheumatism, lame back, sprains, swellings and lameness. 50 cent bottles for sale by T. G. Julian.

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My entire stock of  
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I find that I am compelled to close out this line to give me room for my big line of Holiday Goods that I have bought, which is much larger than I have ever bought before. This is no sham, but a genuine cost sale, so if you need anything for a year to come, it will pay you to buy now. I will quote you a few prices:

Penitentiary Chairs, \$3.50 set, former price, \$4.50; Woven Wire Springs with three rows of Coil Wire springs through the center, \$2.25, former price, \$3.25; good Cotton Top Mattress, \$2.25, former price, \$3.50; 3 piece Chamber Set, \$14.50, former price, \$19.00; 3 piece Chamber Set, \$27.50, former price, \$37.50; Large Safe, \$3.70, former price \$5.00; fine Silk Plush Rockers, \$8.05, former price, \$11.00; Bed Lounges, Carpet Brussels, \$7.50, former price, \$10.50; Bed Lounges, Plush, Extra Large, \$11.75, former price, \$15.50; 7 piece Mohair Parlor Set, \$21.00, former price, \$30.00; fine marble top Hat Dress, \$6.50, former price, \$9.00; Center Tables, \$1.25, former price, \$2.00.

Now come at once and get your pick. We have a good selection, but it will soon be broken, for I am bound to close out this line inside of the next thirty days.

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STATE OF KENTUCKY, }  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, } SUT.

This day personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for the county and State aforesaid, Henderson Phipps, who made oath that two stray strays about four years old each, one a pale red, will weigh about 1,400 lbs., the other, dark red, will weigh about 1,500 lbs., neither of them having ear marks or brands, were taken up by Henderson Phipps, near his farm, on the 19th of September, 1891. I further certify that I have personally examined the said strays and value them at eighty dollars. The taker-up of said strays, Henderson Phipps' residence is near Stepstone Station, Montgomery county, Kentucky. This notice has been duly recorded in my office, and a copy thereof delivered to said Henderson Phipps. This 6th day of October, 1891.

JNO. A. THOMPSON,  
10-4t J. P. M. C.

Do Not Suffer Any Longer.

Knowing that a cough can be checked in a day, and the first stages of consumption broken in a week, we hereby guarantee Dr. Acker's English Cough Remedy, and will refund the money to all who buy, take it as per directions, and do not find our statement correct.

T. G. JULIAN.

The Louisville Times says: "The Southeastern Mississippi Valley Association, organized last July, is on the point of disbanding. It is composed of the railway lines south of the Ohio, east of the Mississippi and west of the territory of the Southern Railway and Steamship Association.